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1. Trucks transporting twelve 75 mm guns and a number of troops arrived at Ruse from Shumen on 25 March 1949, en route for Vidin.
2. A military train carrying troops arrived at Rakovski in the beginning of April 1949. The troops detrained and proceeded on foot in the direction of Haskovo.
3. A convoy of trucks transporting troops and ammunition arrived at Haskovo from Plovdiv on 2 April 1949. Five of the trucks had light guns attached.
4. About 200 cases containing aerial bombs were unloaded from freight cars at Rakovski station on 4 April 1949. The cases were loaded on to trucks which left for an unknown destination.
5. Twenty-four new Soviet tanks arrived at Kazanlek from Karlovo on 10 April 1949. They were despatched later to Tulovo.
6. Movement of military trucks has been observed recently in the Karlovo-Kazanlek area and in the direction of Stara Zagora.
7. Bulgarian small arms and light artillery ammunition from Kazanlek arrived at Vidin at the end of March 1949.

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